

As a paying customer and consumer of my subscription to watch televised content, I do not want to be hindered in any way that restricts my fair use of the content I have paid for. Just because we have digital technology now, doesn't mean we should change the way people have been receiving media content for decades. I am paying for the content, and I wish to have the freedom to receive as I choose without additional costs or burdens.

I enjoy the freedom of watching television shows on my computer and sometimes archiving them for personal use, just as people have done for years with VCRs. Instead of giving more and more power to the corporations in this country that can dictate what we watch, when we watch it, and on what machine we watch it... is not in the spirit of the "freedoms" this country was founded up. "We the People" ... not "We the Corporations" is I believe how the document reads. If I do not have the freedom to watch my paid for programming as I see fit, I may very likely stop paying for content that I cannot use effectively.

There is nothing wrong with copying, and in this digital age, thats what machines do. Trying to prevent this is like trying to "make water not wet", it is just a property of the structure. Consumers need more rights, not for them to be taken away by every new technological innovation.